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In accordance with 37 CFR §1.56, and in recognition of their duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office relevant information known to be material to patentability, Applicant herewith submits a copy of the enclosed European Office Action issued in a corresponding European Patent Application. Although the European Search Report cites the following references: Chang C. et al., 6,376,787, 6,143,997, 6,307,452, 2002/145,493, Applicant did not include a copy of the references herewith as the references have been previously cited in an Information Disclosure Statement filed on May 5, 2004. The statement is not a representation that all of the information cited is necessarily effective as prior art against the application.

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Applicant respectfully requests that the disclosed reference be made of record in the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,

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